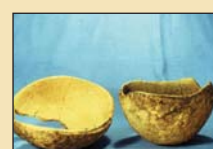




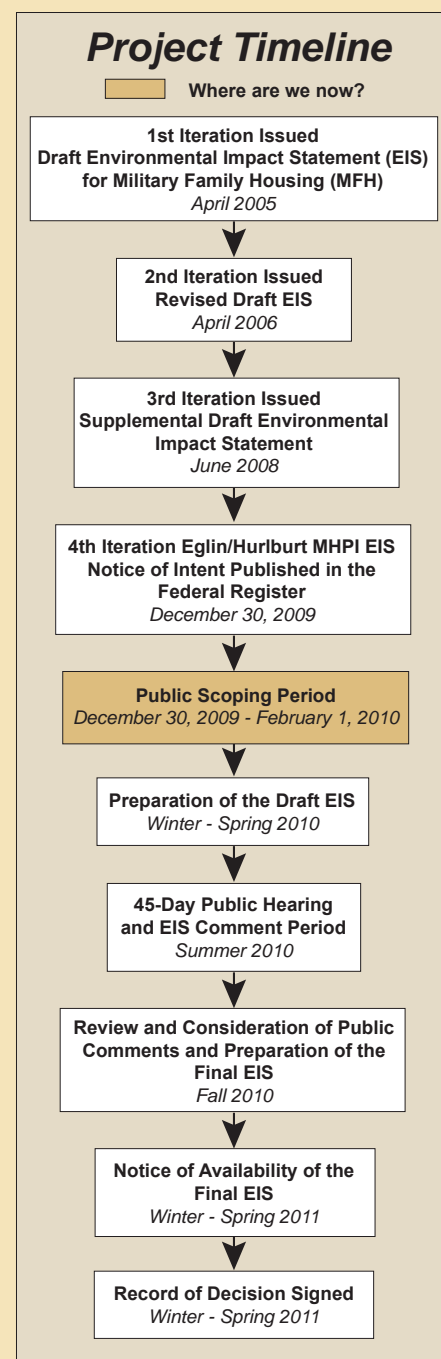
The National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) guides the Military Housing Privatization Initiative (MHPI) Environmental Impact Statement (EIS).

NEPA requires federal decision makers to consider potential environmental consequences of the proposed action and reasonable alternatives in an EIS. The Air Force will analyze potential environmental impacts associated with the alternatives for the MHPI, including a No Action Alternative. The EIS complies with environmental regulations and guidelines and considers impacts to:

- **Transportation**
Existing road networks planned improvements, transit services, pedestrian and bicycle facilities, and traffic performance
- **Socioeconomics**
Economic activity, employment, property values, population, housing, public schools, environmental justice and special risks to children
- **Utilities**
Potable water, wastewater treatment, electricity, and natural gas
- **Air Quality**
Pollutants, size and topography of air basin, and prevailing meteorological conditions
- **Safety**
Job site and unexploded ordnance
- **Hazardous Materials and Waste**
Environmental restoration program sites, storage tanks, asbestos, lead-based paint, polychlorinated biphenyls, chlordane, and hazardous material management
- **Noise**
Noise sources, surrounding background noise, and noise measurements and thresholds
- **Solid Waste**
Solid waste collection, transport, separation, recovery and disposal systems
- **Land Use**
General land use patterns, land ownership, land use designations, management plans
- **Cultural Resources**
Prehistoric or historic districts, sites, structures, and artifacts
- **Physical Resources**
- **Biological Resources**

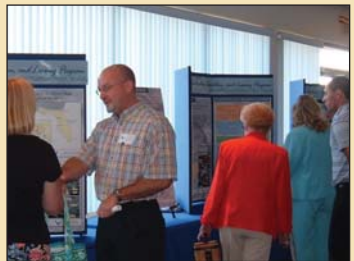


Your involvement and input are essential to the environmental impact analysis process.



Scoping is an important part of the environmental process. There are numerous opportunities to be involved in the MHPI EIS.

- ☑ Attend a public scoping meeting
- ☑ Identify community-specific impacts
- ☑ Add your name and address to the mailing list
- ☑ Review and comment on the Draft EIS
- ☑ Attend a public hearing
- ☑ Review the Final EIS



Public Scoping Meetings

Tuesday, January 12, 6-9 p.m.
Northwest Florida State College
Niceville Campus
Mattie Kelly Arts Center
100 College Boulevard
Niceville, Florida

Wednesday, January 13, 6-9 p.m.
City of Crestview Community Center
1446 Commerce Drive
Crestview, Florida

Thursday, January 14, 6-9 p.m.
Fort Walton Beach Municipal Auditorium
107 Miracle Strip Parkway SW
Fort Walton Beach, Florida

*An Air Force presentation
will occur at all scoping
meetings at 6:30 p.m.*

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